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1 to 5 with the exception that a butyl rubber-based adhesive was used in place of the pressure sensitive sealant composition. In other words, in the automotive vehicle of Vehicle No. 6, each of the left-side and right-side rear combination lamps was sealingly assembled to the vehicle body by using the butyl rubber-based adhesive.

Please replace paragraph beginning on page 23 at line 4 with the following rewritten paragraph:

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As will be understood from the above test results, concerning the five vehicles (Vehicle Nos. 1 to 5), no particular tool was required to disassemble the rear combination lamp unit from the vehicle body while completing a disassembling operation for the rear combination lamp unit only within one minute, in which there was no remains of the pressure sensitive sealant composition left on the surface of the painted surface of the vehicle body panel and the surface of the rear combination lamp unit housing. In contrast, concerning the vehicle (Vehicle No. 6) using the butyl rubber-based adhesive in place of the pressure sensitive sealant composition of the present invention, an industrial dryer and a plastic bar were required to disassemble the rear combination lamp unit from the vehicle body while requiring 3 to 5 minutes for disassembling operation for the rear combination lamp unit and 25 to 30 minutes for a cleaning operation for the surface of the rear combination lamp unit housing and the painted surface of the vehicle body panel. Thus, Test [8] 4 has revealed that the pressure sensitive sealant composition of the present invention used in the clearance between the rear combination lamp unit housing and the vehicle body panel not only can provide an excellent water-tight seal but also can largely reduce the operational time required for disassembly of the rear combination lamp unit from the vehicle body.

In the Claims:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.121, please substitute for claims 2, 3, 7 and 10 the following rewritten versions of the same claims, as amended. The changes are shown explicitly in the attached "Versions with Markings to Show Changes Made."